

Appl. No.: 10/696,475  
TC/A.U.: 3711 Docket No.: B03-61  
Reply to Final Office Action of April 20, 2005

**REMARKS**

Applicants would like to thank the Examiner for the thorough evaluation of this case. In the Final Office Action, the Examiner stated that claims 1-7, 15 and 16 were allowed and claims 10-14 were rejected. In order to ease the prosecution of this matter, claims 10-14 have been cancelled so that the application is in condition for allowance. However, the Applicants reserve the right to file a continuation application to rejected claims 10-14.

No new matter has been added by these amendments and additions and no new issues have been raised.

**Conclusion**

Based on the amendments and remarks set forth above, Applicants believe that all of the rejections have been overcome and the claims of the subject application are in condition for allowance.

No fee is believed to be due for this submission. However, should any required fees be due, please charge them to Acushnet Company Deposit Account No. 502309.

Respectfully submitted,



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